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Pitchers, Card Receivers,
Gold and Silver Plated Ware.

We always have a good stock of
HOLIDAY NOVELTIES

You are cordially invited and earnestly requested to examine our stock in this Department and compare goods and prices before purchasing.

Local Expositions.

—Now write it 1883.
—The roads are splendid.

—Let us all do better this year than we did last.

—We are blessed with more daylight now-a-days.

—Read Jas Wallace's change of adv in this issue.

—Remember the printer in the days of thy prosperity.

—All goods cheap for the next sixty days at C. E. Roswell's.

—Take notice of Drs Mitchell & Ney's card in this issue.

—Miss Amy Blower, of Deckerville, has returned to her home.

—Chas Adams, of Armada, made us a visit on New Years day.

—Mr and Mrs Black, of Alpena, are visiting at W. G. Brown's.

—Diphtheria and scarlet fever is reported in neighboring towns.

—Your attention is called to F. A. Baker's change of adv in this issue.

—John Woodard has sold his meat market to Robt Carr, of Armada.

—Read what G. W. Bell has to say to you in his change of adv. this week.

—Jas Menerey, of North Branch, is visiting friends and relatives in town.

—David R. Brown has moved into Jas Pearce's house opposite the M. P. church.

—Miss Cummings, of Canada, is visiting with Miss Sarah Castor at present.

—Miss Lulu Ferguson, of Port Huron, visited with friends in town this week.

—Miss Barbara McLean and sister Flora, of North Branch, are visiting at Jas Brown's.

—Lafayette Shell school teacher at Roseburg, made us a pleasant visit on Saturday last.

—P. S. McGregory, of Mt Clemens, smiled on his many friends in town on New Years day.

—J. D. Vivian left yesterday morning for Chatham, Ont., to attend the wedding of his sister.

—During the month of November 3,842 immigrants entered the United States at Port Huron.

—W. J. Rapley, operator at the Saginaw Junction, made his folks a visit on New Years day.

—Leonard's is the place to buy hardware, stoves and tinware. Read his change of adv in this issue.

—Miss Dottie Menerey, who has been spending a few months visiting at Saginaw, has returned home.

—Miss Lilly Ferguson, of Port Huron, made a short visit amongst her friends in town last week.

—Rev J. M. Crandall, of the M. P. church Smith Creek, made us a very pleasant visit on New Years day.

—F. Geoderich informs us that he set seven horse shoes in fifteen minutes. This is pretty good for Fred.

—G. W. Waring informs us that he received \$1,100 instead of \$1,000 for his house and lot as stated in last issue.

—We are informed that Ed Smith and Miss Minnie Gray were married at Maple Valley three weeks ago Sunday.

—Al Haight returned Tuesday to his duties in Leonard's hardware store after a two weeks visit to New Baltimore.

—Our friend Burt Duffie who has been spending the holidays at home returned to his studies at Adrian College yesterday.

—B. W. Keith, of Dansville, N. Y., will preach in the A. C. Chapel next Sunday morning at 11 a. m. All are invited to attend.

—We see by the Memphis Tribune of last week that Rev S. G. Bettis was to preach in the M. E. church at that place on Sunday last.

—Jas E. Lutes attended the state Teachers association at Lansing last week and reports a good time. There were about 300 present.

—Robt Mackman who has been away on a visit to friends and relatives in the "Old Country" has returned to the bosom of his family again.

—Among the presents at the Cole school house on Monday evening, Dec 25th, were a pair of Beaver gloves valued at \$5 for Rev C. B. Clark.

—C. O. Jenkins, passenger agent for the P. & N. W. Ry., has recently had the duties of general freight agent added to those of his former position.

—G. W. McKinnon has returned from an extended trip through Canada. He informs us that he visited a good part of the time within a few miles of Niagara falls where his (?) folks live.

—We are pleased to note that Jim McArthur has so recovered from his recent illness that he is again attending to his duties in Holden Bros store.

—John Clayton, of Melvin, got badly hurt on Sunday last. It seems his horses ran away breaking his buggy to pieces. It is feared that he is injured internally.

—The Romeo Democrat says: "Kissing is good for freckles and we stand ready to beautify all the girls who will call at this office. Girls from 16 to 20 preferred."

—We notice by the Richmond Review that Ben James, the barber who was here this summer, but lately running a shop at Richmond, has skipped out from that place.

—We are a day late this week on account of having a job of 5,000 large posters to do for a party who was in a great hurry for them. We will endeavor to be on time next week.

—The Williams' Publishing Co at Pt Huron have moved into new quarters, purchased a Cambell cylinder press and enlarged the Morning Telegraph to a six column paper. We wish it success.

—Ye editors has returned from his trip to Canada to respective duties in this office, but not doubled up as stated in last issue. We found everything going on smoothly over there just as in days gone by.

—The M. P. quarterly meeting at East Greenwood was held on Saturday and Sunday, Dec 30 and 31, Rev J. M. Crandall, of the M. P. church Smith Creek officiated. A large number was present and a good time was had.

—At the re-election of officers of the M. P. church on Sunday Dec 31st the following elections were made: C. D. Vanderlip, Supt; J. S. Duffie, Bible Class teacher; J. S. Duffie, Treas; Geo Mustard Sec; Wm Medaugh, Librarian Regular hour of meeting 2 o'clock.

—A number of the young folks took a trip to Memphis on Sunday. They spent the day at the residence of Mr and Mrs Wm Hisey where they were well treated. Everything was prepared and a good time was had. The party arrived home at about eleven in the evening.

—Quite a number of the members of Brockway Centre lodge of I. O. G. T. made a visit to Valley Centre lodge last evening and found them in a flourishing condition. The lodge has only been lately organized and there are 25 members on the roll which we should say was very good.

—The Phoenix Block on Butler street in Pt Huron was destroyed by fire on Wednesday morning last. Loss \$12,000; insurance \$8,000. Phoenix & Sons had a large stock of goods in their store which was insured for only \$2,500. J. Deloyla, butcher, Connor & Mau, cigar makers, and John Hock baker are among the sufferers.

—A Christmas Tree was held at the Cole school house for the benefit of the M. P. Sunday school on Monday night, Dec 25th. There were 200 people present and about \$100 worth of presents were distributed. Speeches were made by Revs C. B. Clark and Robt Guy also by the supt, Alvin Morgan, taking it all together it was a grand success.

—The entertainment given at the Baptist church in Old Brockway on Wednesday evening, Dec 27th \$2, was in every particular a model of its kind. The audience was large and the decorum was perfect. Citizens and visitors unite in saying that the exercises were in no way open to criticism. At the close of the entertainment some valuable presents were given.

—Another fire was started in Brockway one night last week which was stopped before doing much damage. Someone lighted a brand and threw it into the hotel barn through a hole in the east side and before it was noticed the barn received quite a scorching. It looks as though some party or parties were determined to burn Brockway out. The citizens should not rest until the parties perpetrating these denunciations were ferreted out and receive the just punishment of the law.

—Everything was going on smoothly in our village New Years day, until about noon when one of our citizens was seen kicking a small boy at a furious rate and on being asked why he was kicking him and to stop it, under took to whip the party who interfered but a clip over the eye from a hot headed lad laid him low and he departed without any further ceremonies. It seems the way it started was that the boy had been working for the said citizen and did not get the wage of his pay and on asking him for it received the kicking as stated above. He was brought before the Justice of peace and waited to the tune of seven dollars. We would suggest that the next time he wished to kick anything it would pay him better to practice on a stump and not a small boy which which would be better for the eyes as well as the pocket book.

—Chamberlain & Mustard intend to carry on the business lately purchased by them of G. W. Waring & Co, on a strictly cash basis. Read what they have to say about it in their new adv.

—A dress making shop on wheels is the latest attraction in town. It is very handy. After they have exhausted the gossip of one neighborhood, they can hitch on a team and pull for a new field of work and gossip. C?—Romeo Democrat.

—Do you want to purchase a farm, a village residence or a building lot? Do you want to sell a farm or village property? or do you want to insure in a first-class company? If so read J. S. Duffie's change of adv which will give you full particulars.

—H. B. Buckridge, of the firm of Buckridge & Co, Pt Huron, paid us a call on Tuesday. He informs us that while in town Tuesday some one told him that there was a report in circulation to the effect that the firm of Buckridge & Co, were not on solid footing. Mr B. wishes to say to the party who started this falsehood that the firm of Buckridge & Co, are solid as a rock and that they can pay \$250 for every \$50 they owe. We are sure that our merchants will not take any stock in this base falsehood. Mr Buckridge and Fuller are both gentlemen in every respect and understand their business.

—The following are the products of the "Red House" farm of 210 acres, 2 miles north and one mile west of Brockway Centre for 1 year:

600 bushels of corn in ear,
404 " wheat,
395 " barley,
497 " oats,
165 " peas,
20 " buckwheat,
3 " beans,
150 " potatoes,
50 " clover seed,
150 tons of hay,
2,800 pounds of pork.

Geo Marable, of Canada, went on to this farm two years ago at which time it was considered not very fertile soil. According to the above yield he has proven a successful tiller of the soil.

BETTER STILL.—Nile Jones, of Speaker, killed a pig the other day, 245 days old, which weighed when dressed 270 pounds. Next.

—Ask your Grocer for Port Huron Brooms. Take no other. Every one warranted. Manufactured by E. Perceval & Son. 10 and 12.

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CONSUMPTION.
It is said that 50,000 people die annually in the United States alone from this disease. In some sections of the country one death in every three is from Consumption. This can be, and should be avoided; our people are too careless about an ordinary cough or cold, and other symptoms of throat and lung affections that lead to this disease. You should arrest it while it is in the germ. Two or three doses of Dr. Bosanko's Cherry Bitters will relieve an ordinary cough or cold. It does not dry up a cough like many preparations on the market, but acts directly on the throat and bronchial tubes, removing all the phlegm and morbid matter that accumulates in the throat and lungs. It always allays irritation, and renders the voice clear and distinct. Sold by F. A. Baker.

BROCKWAY CENTRE MARKET.
Reports corrected every Wednesday by O. W. Mills.

Wheat No 1 White 8 90
Wheat No 2 " 75
Wheat No 3 white 65
Wheat No 2 Red 85
Wheat No 2 Spring 75
Oats 35
Barley, 100lbs 99 @ 1 10
Peas 50
Dressed Hogs 6 75
Butter 25
Eggs 25

POULTRY.
Chickens 5 cts per lb.
Turkeys 10 @ 11
Geese 8
Ducks 19

THORLEY'S

HORSE & CATTLE

FOOD.

BEST in the WORLD.

Full Pound package 25 cents.

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BEANS,
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EGGS,
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Brockway Centre
CARRIAGE REPOSITORY

50 Pr Horse Blankets,
25 Buffalo Robes,
25 Wolf Robes.

20 CUTTERS,

20 Set Single Harness,
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PRICES AWAY DOWN.

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A lovely Corset for 50 cents, also a choice lot of

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Trimmings in Silk
Satins, Pasmenteries,
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Nubias, Furs and
Fur Trimming.

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\$10 OVERCOATS FOR \$8.00.

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Boys caps in proportion. Fall lines.

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Ladies 50 ct all wool hose for 35 cts
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" 35 "25 cts
All hosiery in proportion.

Ladies Nubias.
1.00 Nubias for.....75 cts
75 ct "50 cts
60 ct "45 cts

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SUSPENDERS
Cheaper than wholesale prices.
We are determined to give you
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The best, purest & cheapest
Sugar in the Market.

12 POUNDS FOR \$1.00 AT
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All Kinds and Sizes at Holden Bros.

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PORT HURON, MICHIGAN